

Alaska Local and Regional Information

Workforce Info

Haines

Haines is a first class city located on the western shore of Lynn Canal, between the Chilkoot and Chilkat Rivers, about 80 air miles northwest of Juneau. Haines is part of the Haines Borough.

- ♦ The estimated population for 2008 was 1,475, a loss of about 336 since the 2000 Census.
- ♦ About 55 percent of the resident population 16+ years old worked in 2008.
- ♦ Trade, Transportation and Utilities was the main industry in 2008, employing 21 percent of the area's workers.
- ♦ More workers were employed as Cashiers than any other occupation.

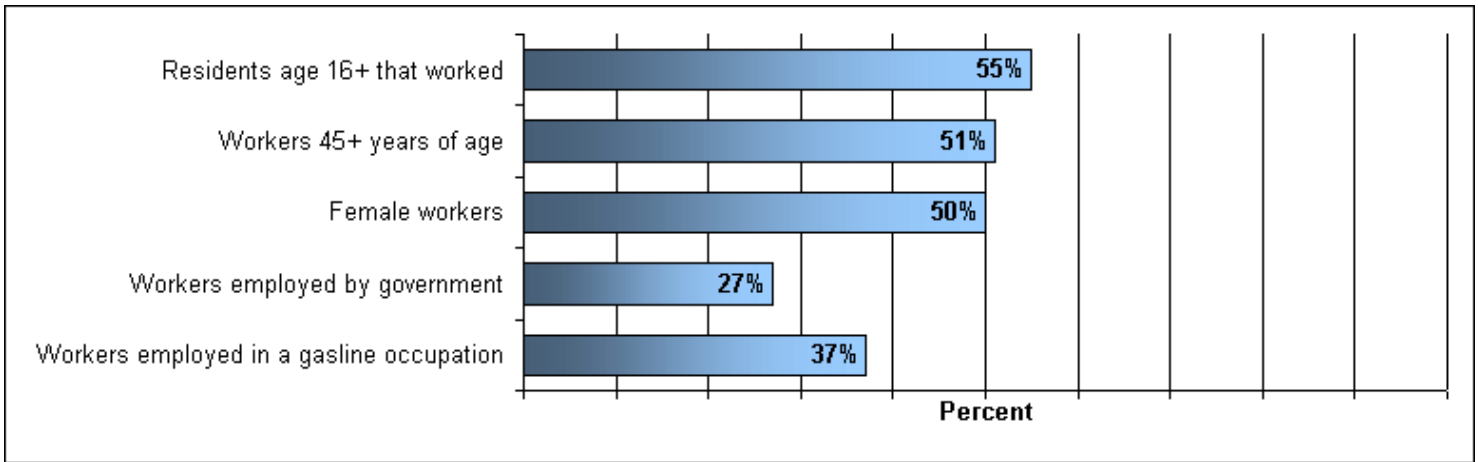
Please note: There is an important distinction between the local/regional employment data and our "standard" employment series. Most of these data reflect totals for area residents only. Total worker counts may be lower than expected in areas with a large number of nonresident workers. The Alaska Permanent Fund dividend file is used to determine the worker's geographic residence. Only Alaska residents (as defined by PFD application) are included in these totals. Also note that federal employees, the military, and the self-employed are not included in these data.

Haines Resident Snapshot (2008)

Working Age Residents		Wages	
Residents age 16+	1,361	Total wages	\$18,248,807
Resident Worker Characteristics		Resident Workers by Sector	
Total	742	Private	540
Male	371	State government	59
Female	368	Local government	143
Age 45+	376	Quarterly Number of Resident Workers	
Age 50+	274	Peak (2nd) quarter workers	650
		Percent working all 4 quarters	57.7%
Unemployment		Construction/AGIA Occupation Experience (2004-2008)	
UI Claimants	160	Some construction	133
		At least 1 year construction	78
New Hires		At least 2 years construction	51
New hires	275	Worked in an AGIA occupation	565

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2008 Residents

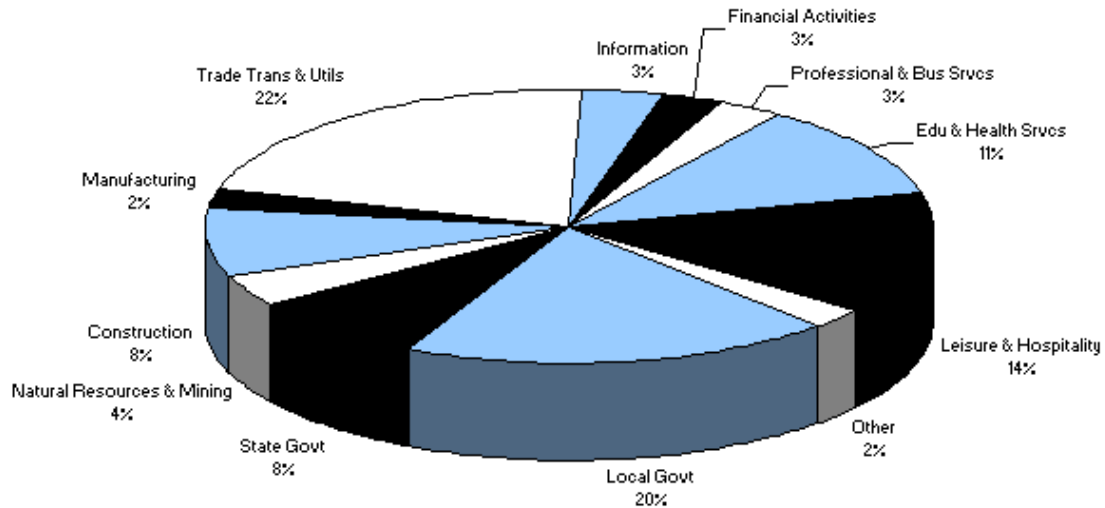


Top Occupations

	Number employed	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Cashiers	26	61.5%	9	8
Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners AGIA	24	70.8%	8	6
Office Clerks, General AGIA	21	80.0%	11	10
Teacher Assistants	18	83.3%	10	7
Retail Salespersons	18	38.9%	6	4
Construction Laborers AGIA HOT JOB	17	17.6%	11	7
Stock Clerks and Order Fillers AGIA	17	35.3%	12	8
Tour Guides and Escorts	17	52.9%	9	9
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners AGIA	16	50.0%	10	8
Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators AGIA HOT JOB	15	0.0%	11	9
Carpenters AGIA HOT JOB	13	0.0%	3	2
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks AGIA HOT JOB	12	91.7%	9	7
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand AGIA	12	8.3%	6	6
Bartenders	12	58.3%	7	1
Receptionists and Information Clerks AGIA	12	91.7%	9	5
Home Health Aides	12	66.7%	4	4
General and Operations Managers	11	40.0%	8	7
Customer Service Representatives	11	81.8%	6	2
Captains, Mates, and Pilots of Water Vessels HOT JOB	11	18.2%	5	5
Waiters and Waitresses	11	100.0%	1	1

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Resident Workers by Industry



Workers by Industry

	Number employed	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Natural Resources and Mining	28	14.3%	9	6
Construction	61	15.0%	39	27
Manufacturing	16	31.2%	4	4
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	157	46.2%	72	52
Information	25	32.0%	13	9
Financial Activities	21	61.9%	13	8
Professional and Business Services	22	27.3%	13	10
Educational and Health Services	84	77.4%	44	32
Leisure and Hospitality	107	61.3%	43	30
State Government	59	39.0%	33	23
Local Government	143	58.7%	77	60
Other	18	72.2%	15	13
Unknown	*	*	*	*

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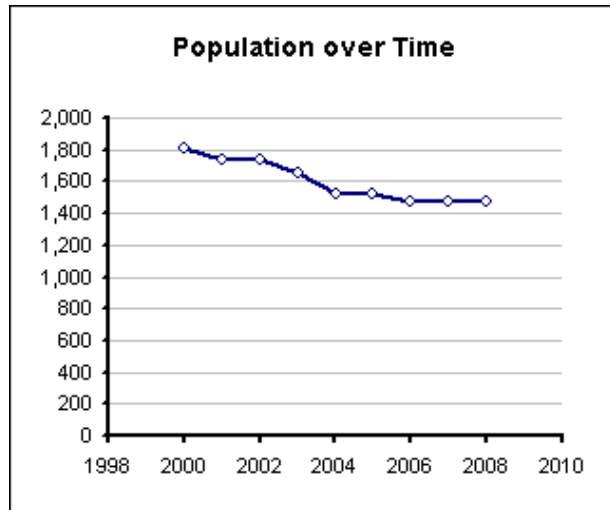
Recent Unemployment Statistics

	09/2009	10/2009	11/2009	12/2009
UI Claimants**	50	86	113	125

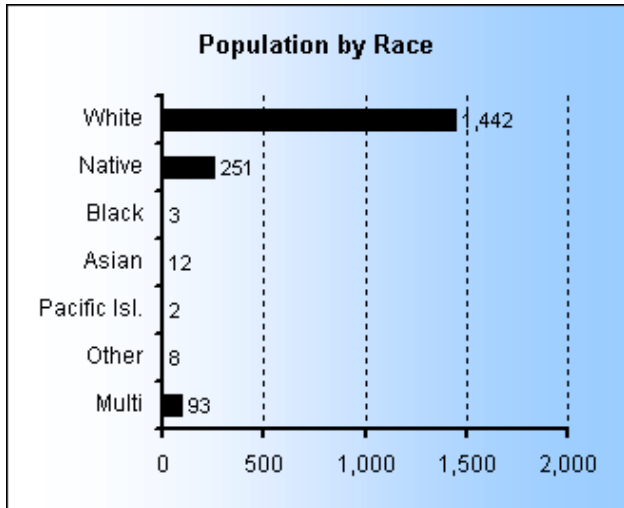
**UI claimants are individuals in this area who had an active claim at any time during the month.

Top Employers (ranked by number of workers)

Haines Borough
State of AK (excludes U of A)
Haines Borough School Dist
Southeast Alaska Regional Health Consortium
Alaska Business Growth Corp
M & D Ward Inc
Chilkat Guides Ltd
Cornerstone Home Health Inc
Oleruds Inc
AK Power & Telephone Co
Chilkat River Adventures Inc



2000 Census	
Median Age	40.2
Average Family Size	2.9
Average Household Size	2.4
Per Capita Income	\$22,505
Median Family Income	\$51,316
Median Household Income	\$39,926



(Note: Racial classification is based on self identification. The "Multi" category consists of those who claim to be members of more than one race. The "Native" category includes Alaska Natives and American Indians.)

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